

Midland Basset Hound Club

15 Class Breed Open Show

Marston Green Parish Hall

Marston Green, West Midlands, B37 7BT

Saturday 16th February 2008

Judge: Mr Tony Fryer (Tigrine)

I would like to thank the Officers & Committee for their hospitality, plus the exhibitors for making my first breed show a pleasant experience.

CLASS 1 - MINOR PUPPY DOG (2 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Gater's - BALMACARA ORANGE CRUSADER

8 months red & white. Handsome young dog, played up a bit for his handler. He has a masculine head with kind expression, well ribbed, moved ok for a 8 month old. Good topline, nice bend of stifle, very promising puppy
Best Puppy Dog and Reserve Best Puppy in Show

CLASS 2 - PUPPY DOG (1 Entry)

1st : Mitchell's - MALACANTE BAY OF DREAMS

12 months red & white. Nice young dog, dark eyes, lovely curling leathers, correct shoulder placement.

CLASS 3 - JUNIOR DOG (2 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Muttock's - WHINNEYWOODS KING GEORGE

13 months black blanket. A pity he wouldn't settle as he is a nice type. Good masculine head, long curling leathers but hard to assess as he would not co-operate.

CLASS 4 - NOVICE DOG (1 Entry)

1st : Radwan & Stacy's - KORTEBIN SIXPENCE

Almost 2 years red & white. Lovely head & neck. Correct shoulder placement, good ribbing, level topline.

CLASS 5 - POST GRADUATE DOG (2 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Kelsey's - RAKEFOOT TENNESOYN BAY THROUGH MALACANTE

2 years red & white. Good masculine head, lovely curling leathers, good topline, nice bend of stifle.

CLASS 6 - LIMIT DOG (3 Entries)

1st : Newman's - WOFLERLOW SAMUEL PICKWICK (JW)

18 months red & white. Nice head & neck leading into good shoulders, ribs reaching well back, nice topline, good rear angulation.

2nd : Feetham's - KIMBLEHOLME MAGIC WIZARD

2 years red & white. Lovely head, good front, ribs reaching well back, preferred movement of 1st on the day.

3rd : Mitchell's - RAKEFOOT DIRTY DANCING

3 years red & white. Nice head, well off for bone, topline ok.

CLASS 7 - OPEN DOG (4 Entries)

1st : Feetham's - KIMBLEHOLME PURE MAGIC

2 year old tricolour. Good masculine head, dark eye, correct shoulder placement, good smooth ribs reaching well back. Good rear end which he used to move round the ring. Looked like he could hunt all day.

Pleased to award him **Best Dog** and **Best in Show**

2nd : Isted & Melbourne's - DEREHEATH PEDRIDOT AT DEARDUENNA

6 year old red & white. Another lovely hound, nice head, shoulder placement correct, good ribbing, good topline, pushed hard for 1st place, they could change places any time.

Reserve Best Dog and **Reserve Best in Show**

3rd : Kelsey's - MALACANTE BAY OF SILENCE (JW)

Nearly 4 years old Tricolour. Nice type, good topline & bend of stifle, ribs going well back, moved ok

Res : Wells' - KORTEBIN ELF LORD

CLASS 8 - VETERAN DOG or BITCH (3 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Haynes' - HAREBOLT ECHO (ShCM)

8 year old red & white. My favourite class watching the oldies still enjoying themselves. This boy went round the ring like a youngster & seemed to enjoy every minute. He has a lovely head & good expression, good topline, ribbing was good, a nice rear end.

Awarded him **Best Veteran in Show**

2nd : Elliott's - BARRATINI MUSIC MASTER AT CARTHILL (JW, ShCM)

8 year old red & white. Another who moved well for a senior citizen, also enjoyed his day out. Good topline & ribs, nice curling leathers.

Reserve Best Veteran in Show

Best Dog	Feetham's - KIMBLEHOLME PURE MAGIC
Reserve Best Dog	Isted & Melbourne's - DEREHEATH PEDRIDOT AT DEARDUENNA
Best Puppy Dog	Gater's - BALMACARA ORANGE CRUSADER
Best Veteran Dog	Haynes' - HAREBOLT ECHO (ShCM)

CLASS 9 - MINOR PUPPY BITCH (3 Entries)

1st : Newman's - BARRATINI ROBERTA FLACK FOR WOFLERLOW

7 month old black blanket. What a little beauty, correct front, prominent sternum, ribs smooth & reaching well back. Moved really well for one so young, will keep an eye on her.

Pleased to award her **Best Puppy Bitch** and **Best Puppy in Show**

2nd : Storton, Isted & Melbourne's - DEREHEATH BILLIE HOLIDAY

6 month old tri-colour. Another lovely youngster with good head properties, dark eye, good ribs & topline. Preferred movement of 1st on the day.

3rd : Gater's - BALMACARA ORANGE BLOSSOM

8 month old red & white. Larger mould than first two, will take time to mature.

CLASS 10 - PUPPY BITCH (2 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Feetham's - KIMBLEHOLME JUST A DREAM

10 month old black blanket. A promising youngster with good front, correct shoulders, strong topline. Another to keep an eye on.

CLASS 11 - JUNIOR BITCH (7 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Kelsey's - MALACANTE BAY OF DIAMONDS

17 month old red & white. Good depth of lip, correct ear set, good shoulders, nice bend of stifle, well of for bone, moved well round the ring.

2nd : Pallett's - CLOCKTOWER MISS MARPLE

13 month old traditional tri. Lovely head & expression, ribs rounded and reaching well back, preferred movement of 1st on the day.

3rd : Isted & Melbourne's - DEREHEATH SOPHIA WITH DEARDUENNA

12 month old broken tri. A lovely young girl, good ribs, good topline, good bend of stifle, played up for her handler but has lots of promise.

Res : Woodworth's - DEREHEATH NORAH AT WOODRICH

VHC : Walker's - WHINNEYWOODS ROYAL JEWEL

CLASS 12 - NOVICE BITCH (2 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Pallett's - CLOCKTOWER MISS MARPLE

13 month old traditional tri. Lovely head & expression, ribs rounded and reaching well back, preferred movement of 1st on the day.

CLASS 13 - POST GRADUATE BITCH (5 Entries / 2 Absent)

1st : Mitchell's - RAKEFOOT MISS SIAGON

2 year old red & white. Pretty girl, fine curling leathers, good shoulders, well off for bone, lovely apple bottom, moved well.

2nd : Newman's - WOFLERLOW SANCHIA

18 month old black blanket. Lovely head & expression, ribs well rounded and reaching well back, preferred movement of 1st & topline needs to settle.

3rd : Hulme's - BALMACARA WILD AS THE WIND

19 month old tricolour. Nice pretty bitch with even front, lighter in bone than first two.

CLASS 14 - LIMIT BITCH (2 Entries / 1 Absent)

1st : Feetham's - KIMBLEHOLME MAGICAL ME

2 year old tricolour. Nice feminine head, dark eye, good depth of lip, good angulation front & rear, moved very well.

CLASS 15 - OPEN BITCH (6 Entries / 2 Absent)

1st : Wells' - KORTEBIN LADY OF LHUN

4 year old red & white. Pleasing head, nice type, topline very good, ribs were smooth reaching well back.

Please to award her **Best Bitch**.

2nd : Haynes' - BALMACARA FRENCH DREAM AT HAREBOLT

4 year old red & white. Heavier type than 1st, but very much the same qualities, it was a close call.

Pleased to give her **Reserve Best Bitch**.

3rd : Mitchell's - RAKEFOOT SIMPLY-U-NIQUE

2 year old red & white. Another pleasing head & expression, topline not quite up to first two, moved well.

Res : Hulme's - BALMACARA WILD AS THE WIND

Best Bitch	Wells' - KORTEBIN LADY OF LHUN
Reserve Best Bitch	Haynes' - BALMACARA FRENCH DREAM AT HAREBOLT
Best Puppy Bitch	Newman's - BARRATINI ROBERTA FLACK FOR WOFLERLOW

Best in Show Results



Our Judge - Mr Tony Fryer with his
Best in Show
Feetham's - KIMBLEHOLME PURE
MAGIC
&
Reserve Best in Show
Isted & Melbourne's - DEREHEATH
PEDRIDOT AT DEARDUENNA



Mr Tony Fryer with his
Best Puppy in Show
Newman's - BARRATINI ROBERTA
FLACK FOR WOFLERLOW
&
Reserve Best Puppy in Show
Gater's - BALMACARA ORANGE
CRUSADER



Mr Tony Fryer with his
Best veteran in Show
Haynes' - HAREBOLT ECHO (ShCM)
&
Reserve Best Veteran in Show
Elliott's - BARRATINI MUSIC MASTER
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